

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please replace the paragraph at page 4, line 19, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

According to the first aspect of the present invention, there is provided a power saving control apparatus for a television receiver system. The television receiver system includes a television receiver apparatus and a remote control apparatus. The television receiver apparatus outputs one of video and audio signals on a received broadcast wave and video and audio signals inputted from an external electronic equipment, and transmits the video and audio signals by radio. The remote control apparatus controls an operation of the television receiver apparatus, and receives and outputs the video and audio signals transmitted by radio. The power saving control apparatus includes a power saving means-device for turning off power supply to at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus upon receiving a predetermined instruction signal from the remote control apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 5, line 8, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

In the above-mentioned power saving control apparatus, the instruction signal is a power saving transfer instruction message for instructing the television receiver apparatus to transfer to a power saving state by turning off the power supply to at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus. Alternatively, in the above-mentioned power saving control apparatus, the instruction signal is a video and audio signals transmission instruction message for instructing the television receiver apparatus to transmit the video and audio signals from the television receiver apparatus to the remote control apparatus by radio. Alternatively, in the above-mentioned power saving control

apparatus, the instruction signal is a video and audio signals transmission instruction message for instructing the television receiver apparatus to transmit the video and audio signals from the television receiver apparatus to the remote control apparatus by radio, and the power saving ~~means-device~~ turns off the power supply to at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus, upon receiving the instruction signal from the remote control apparatus, and in an automatic power saving function mode set in the television receiver apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 6, line 2, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

In addition, in the above-mentioned power saving control apparatus, at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus includes a display ~~means-device~~ for displaying an image of the video signal, and a audio output ~~means-device~~ for outputting a voice of the audio signal.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 6, line 7, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

According to the second aspect of the present invention, there is provided a power saving control method for a television receiver system. The television receiver system includes a television receiver apparatus and a remote control apparatus. The television receiver apparatus outputs one of video and audio signals on a received broadcast wave and video and audio signals inputted from an external electronic equipments, and transmits the video and audio signals by radio. The remote control apparatus controls an operation of the television receiver apparatus, and receives and outputs the video and audio signals transmitted by radio. The power saving control method includes a power saving step of turning off power supply to at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television

receiver apparatus upon receiving a predetermined instruction signal from the remote control apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 6, line 20, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

In the above-mentioned power saving control method, the instruction signal is a power saving transfer instruction message for instructing the television receiver apparatus to transfer to a power saving state by turning off the power supply to at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus. Alternatively, in the above-mentioned power saving control method, the instruction signal is a video and audio signals transmission instruction message for instructing the television receiver apparatus to transmit the video and audio signals from the television receiver apparatus to the remote control apparatus by radio. Alternatively, in the above-mentioned power saving control method, the instruction signal is a video and audio signals transmission instruction message for instructing the television receiver apparatus to transmit the video and audio signals from the television receiver apparatus to the remote control apparatus by radio, and the power saving step turns off the power supply to at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus, upon receiving the instruction signal from the remote control apparatus, and in an automatic power saving function mode set in the television receiver apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 7, line 14, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

In addition, in the above-mentioned power saving control method, at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus includes a display ~~means-device~~ for displaying an image of the video signal, and an audio output ~~means-device~~ for outputting a voice of the audio signal.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 7, line 18, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

According to the third aspect of the present invention, there is provided a power saving control apparatus for a television receiver system. The television receiver system includes a television receiver apparatus and a remote control apparatus. The television receiver apparatus outputs video and audio signals inputted from an external electronic equipment, and transmits the video and audio signals by radio. The remote control apparatus controls an operation of the television receiver apparatus, controls an operation of the external electronic equipment via the television receiver apparatus, and receives and outputs the video and audio signals transmitted by radio. The power saving control apparatus includes ~~control means~~ a controller for controlling turning off power supply to the external electronic equipment upon receiving a predetermined instruction signal from the remote control apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 8, line 7, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

In the above-mentioned power saving control apparatus, the television receiver apparatus further includes a switching means ~~device~~ for selectively switching video and audio signals from a plurality of external electronic equipments, and for outputting the selected video and audio signals, and the ~~control means~~ controller controls the switching ~~means~~ device to selectively switch over to one of the plurality of external electronic equipments, and controls turning off power supply to one of the external electronic equipments having been selected before switching over upon receiving an instruction signal including an external electronic equipment switching instruction message for selectively switching over to

the one of the plurality of external electronic equipments from the remote control apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 8, line 19, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

In addition, in the above-mentioned power saving control apparatus, the ~~control means~~ controller transmits the video and audio signals from the selected external electronic equipment to the remote control apparatus by radio.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 8, line 23, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

Further, in the above-mentioned power saving control apparatus, the ~~control means~~ controller turns off power supply to at least one part of ~~means~~ units of the television receiver apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 9, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

Still further, in the above-mentioned power saving control apparatus, at least one part of ~~means~~ units of the television receiver apparatus includes at least one of a reception ~~means~~ device for receiving a broadcast wave of the television receiver apparatus; and a display ~~means~~ device for displaying an image of the video signal, and an audio output ~~means~~ device for outputting a voice of the audio signal.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 9, line 20, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

In the above-mentioned power saving control method, the television receiver apparatus further includes a switching ~~means~~ device for selectively switching video and audio signals from a plurality of external electronic equipments, and for outputting the selected video and

audio signals, and the control step controls the switching ~~means-device~~ to selectively switch over to one of the plurality of external electronic equipments, and controls turning off power supply to one of the external electronic equipments having been selected before switching over upon receiving an instruction signal including an external electronic equipment switching instruction message for selectively switching over to the one of the plurality of external electronic equipments from the remote control apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 10, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

Further, in the above-mentioned power saving control method, the control step turns off power supply to at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 10, line 14, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

Still further, in the above-mentioned power saving control method, at least one part of ~~means-units~~ of the television receiver apparatus includes at least one of a reception means-device for receiving a broadcast wave of the television receiver apparatus; and a display means device for displaying an image of the video signal, and an audio output means-device for outputting a voice of the audio signal.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 12, line 2, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

Therefore, according to the power saving control apparatus and the power saving control method of the present invention, the power saving control apparatus for the television receiver system including the television receiver apparatus and the remote control apparatus, includes the power saving ~~means-device~~ for turning off the power supply to at

least one part of ~~means~~-units of the television receiver apparatus upon receiving the predetermined instruction signal from the remote control apparatus. Accordingly, it is possible to save power consumption of the television receiver apparatus easily and automatically.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 12, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

Further, according to the power saving control apparatus and the power saving control method of the present invention, the power saving control apparatus for the television receiver system including the television receiver apparatus and the remote control apparatus, includes the ~~control means~~-controller for turning off the power supply to the external electronic equipment upon receiving the predetermined instruction signal from the remote control apparatus. Therefore, it is possible to save power consumption of the external electronic equipment easily and automatically.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 30, line 16, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

As stated so far in detail, according to the power saving control apparatus and the power saving control method of the present invention, the power saving control apparatus for the television receiver system including the television receiver apparatus and the remote control apparatus, includes the power saving ~~means~~-device for turning off the power supply to at least one part of ~~means~~-device of the television receiver apparatus upon receiving the predetermined instruction signal from the remote control apparatus. Therefore, it is possible to save the electric power consumption of the television receiver apparatus easily and automatically.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 31, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:**

Further, according to the power saving control apparatus and the power saving control method of the present invention, the power saving control apparatus for the television receiver system including the television receiver apparatus and the remote control apparatus, includes the ~~control means~~ controller for turning off the power supply to the external electronic equipment upon receiving the predetermined instruction signal from the remote control apparatus. Therefore, it is possible to save the electric power consumption of the external electronic equipment easily and automatically.